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MONESSEN IS WORKING FOR PRIZE

In connection with an interesting publicity contest now being conducted by the Pittsburgh Dispatch, the representatives of the leading wholesale houses of Pittsburgh gave a most instructive display and demonstration in Monessen last night, in the vacant store room in the Speigelberg building at the corner of Schoonmaker avenue and Fourth street. The affair, which was of an unusual nature, attracted a large crowd, the greater part of Monessen's more progressive business men being there.

The object of this contest seems to promote a greater degree of interest along commercial lines generally, and is being participated in by churches, lodges and schools.

The battle is being waged in Monessen by Monessen Commandery No. 332, Knights of Malta, in the interest of which last night's display was made by the city wholesale houses. The local Maltas are working in conjunction with Puritan Commandery No. 280 of Wilkinsburg, and have alone registered almost a million votes, the prize for which they are aiming being $2,000. This is termed a "Selling Contest", and all branches of trade were represented—groceries, clothing, shoes, confectioner's, etc., and much interest was manifested by our merchants. It seemed that all who attended registered their names, and those who wished could buy goods. As we understand it, each name registered counted as 5,000 votes to the credit of the Monessen Malta Commandery.

Another demonstration is scheduled to be held later in the spring. The wholesale representatives went from here to Beaver Falls, where a demonstration is to be given this evening for the Maltas of that place. So for the Order of Maltas are far in the lead in the contest as a whole.

Star Theatre

The Musical Pikes present a splendid novelty act at the Star this evening and something new in the way of music is in store for the patrons. Signor D'Angelo presents a singing act that tops anything seen here for some time. The Barbier Trio complete the bill in can interesting sketch entitled "The Little Waif."

January Clearance

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PATRONESSES FOR THE HOME TALENT

All is in readiness for the production of "Lend Me Five Shillings" and "Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea" at the opera house tonight, and the curtain will rise promptly at eight o'clock. Great care has been exercised in the assigning of parts for the production of these two ever popular sketches, each person being given the part for which they are most naturally adapted. Every attention has been given to the rehearsals and each one has worked hard and faithfully that there may be perfection, as near as possible, in the portrayals. The costuming has been well looked after, and each individual character will be true to life. The stage settings will be under the care of experienced people and nothing will be left undone to bring out strongly and clearly the most critical situations in the plays. The musical part of the program has not been overlooked, particular training and attention having been given for the special numbers, choruses, etc. In fact the people of Monessen will not be disappointed in anyway, and will have no reason to regret any help or support they may have given. The names of the patronesses for the evening are found below:

Mesdames A. McCabe, H. R. Pore, J. Howard Kelly, E. C. Sattley, Ralph Thatcher, H. W. Day, Adolph Homann, R. S. Kelly, W. B. Stewart, A. R. Ney, H. E. Gress, Frank Cummins, W. L. Forster, J. T. Brightwell, J. H. Watt, M. E. Griffith, George Stahlnecker, G. C. Diehl, A. N. Shuster, George Irons, Jesse Hancock, P. P. Bush, T. S. Adams, W. S. Moore, and the Misses Lee McLain, Bess Jeffries, Dorothy Ferren, and Grace McKean.

The announcement through these columns a short time ago that a new transfer company was to be organized and take the place of the old firm of Miller and Luce is born out in another announcement that the Independent Transfer Co. has taken charge of the business beginning this morning. The new company is composed of local men and Mr. J. H. Miller is in charge of the working end for the present. No definite information has been given out as to who the officers and stockholders of the new company are but it is rumored that they are men well up in the affairs of the town.

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CORONER'S JURY SAYS MONESSEN MAN WAS FOULLY MURDERED

The funeral of Antonio Vaccario, the Italian, supposed to have been murdered near the Belle Vernon glass house and the body thrown into the Monongahela river, at an early hour Sunday morning, was held at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon, the service being in St. Leonards church, conducted by Father Wigley. The obsequies were in charge of the Italian Beneficial Society of Monessen, of which he was a member. The funeral was very largely attended by the dead man's countrymen and music was furnished by the Italian cornet band, interment being in Grandview cemetery.

Deceased was aged 24 years and a young man highly respected among his people: he was employed as a wire darwer at the Monessen plant of the Pittsburgh Steel Co. He was not married, and his parents, who reside in the old country, are reputed to be highly educated and well-to-do.

County Detective Smith and McCann of Uniontown have been here and at Belle Vernon during this week, looking up the vital points in the case, as are also the State Police. Deputy Coroner Gordon says that indications point strongly, toward murder, as it is evident from the post mortem that death had occurred before the body was thrown into the water.

The inquest was held in Belle Vernon Wednesday evening by Deputy Coroner J. W. Gordon, and the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that Antonio Vaccario came to his death either directly or indirectly at the hands of two men named Albino Lori and Ettore Fredici. These two men lived and worked in Belle Vernon, and the evidence pointed to the fact that they had a disagreement or misunderstanding with Vaccario, and that both have disappeared, leaving no trace by which their whereabouts can be determined. Official search is being made and it is hoped the men may be soon found and arrested.

DROWNED BOYS BODY MAY BE CLAIMED

The Daily Independent has had numerous inquiries by telephone and in person referring to the article published in our issue of Jan. 22d. telling of the finding on Sunday of the bodies of two small boy's frozen in a cake of ice by the crew of a towboat while breaking ice about the Gallatin mine near Monongahela. People all along the Monongahela valley have become deeply interested in the finding of these little bodies and every possible effort has been made in an attempt to unravel the mystery and, if possible, return the lost ones to the friends and homes from which they have, by some dire misfortune been ruthlessly snatched. The bodies were taken to the city morgue at Pittsburgh, there to await identity, if possible.

The inquiry regarding these bodies is becoming far reaching, as Chief of Police J. D. Bumgaruer of Washington, Pa., has received an inquiry from chief of police of Lackawanna, N. Y., saying that it is thought one of the bodies may be that of Joseph Joseph, a Syrian lad aged 7 years, kidnapped at that place about October 12th, and all particulars of the finding, descriptions, etc. have been asked for. It is stated that the mother of the Syrian lad is nearly demented and that her hair is turning gray from worry. She is of the opinion that possibly one of the boys found dead on the cake of ice may be her son.

Accompanying the letter is a circular from the headquarters of the police department of the city of Lachawanna, N. Y., in which a reward of $500 is offered for the return of Joseph Joseph and information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the kidnappers.

Chief Bumgarner is doing all possible to help identify the bodies, but up until this time nothing of an encouraging nature has developed. Full descriptions of the unfortunates have been forwarded to the authorities at Lackawanna.

A basket ball contest of much interest will be held in Italian Hall on Third street, on Monday evening, Feb. 12th, under the auspices of the Independent Political Slovak Club. The captains are to be Mike Sabo and Steve Patco, and the manager of the hall, John Radacy promises those who go an evening's entertainment of unusual interest. Music will be furnished by a Braddock orchestra. Admission 50c; ladies free.

BRIDGES TO BE SENTENCED SATURDAY

Saturday morning, George Bridges will be called into court at Greensburg and sentenced for petty larceny which is the only charge resting against him at this time. Bridges is the man who was found here Christmas day with a suit case full dynamite and who was believed to be a hired agent of a band of conspirators who had planned to do violence to the industries of the town. Bridges before a preliminary hearing was set, was accused of having stolen the dynamite from the Henderson coal company but he stoutly denied his guilt. He has since entered a plea before the district attorney and he will not have to undergo the ordeal of a trial. He carried the high explosive on a street car from the lower end of town but it is understood that the company refuse to have anything to do with the case.

The story of the Bridges episode spread far and wide. In one hour after the arrest was made the Associated Press had the news across the continent that a plot equal to the one which destroyed the Los Angeles Times had been unearthed at Monessen, with the arrest of Bridges and soon the Government detectives were on the ground. There was a suppressed feeling here that something of a violent nature might have been at the bottom of it, since it was known that several alleged organizers had attended the American Federation of Labor convention at Atlanta and tried to take over money to unionize Monessen. While the investigation was going on Bridges calmly walked to and fro in his cell at the borough lockup and maintained that he was innocent of anything bordering on a violent nature. After five days waiting he was called before 'Squire Shuster, at which time he had promised to make a statement but, to the surprise of everybody, he waived a hearing and was taken to Greensburg to jail where he has since been confined and from which he will be called for sentence Saturday morning.

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INTEREST IN HOME-GOVERNED STORES

Altoona, Pa., is much interested in the co-operative store business, and if plans being formulated work out, that city will ere long have a mammoth general store owned by the people who patronize it. At a meeting a few nights ago seventy-eight prominent men signed a paper indicating their willingness to aid such a movement, among who was Fred Bendheim, the well known clothier, who is on the executive committee, and who also read a voluminous paper giving vital and interesting statistics relative to this topic which is daily becoming more and more interesting to the common people as the prices of commodities in daily use in the household continue to climb. Mr. Bendheim's paper was brim-full of interest, and drew forth much favorable comment. Mr. Bendheim, we believe is a near relative of Mrs. Jacob Meyers of Monessen.

Dr. Armstrong to Lectuae

Dr. R. A. Armstrong of the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, will tomorrow, Friday evening, lecture in the high school auditorium at 7 o'clock, his subject being "Stories." Those who attended Dr. Armstrong's lecture on "Job," delivered here on the 19th ult., will heartily welcome him again, as he is one of the country's most brilliant entertainers and he has already a strong hold upon the Monessen people who aspire toward the broader, deeper, and more real, along life's pathway. None who enjoy a lecture of the higher order should miss hearing Dr. Armstrong tomorrow evening, for his talk on "Stories" is considered one of the best in his inexhaustive repertoire.

Notice to Personal Workers

All the Personal Workers are requested to be present at the M. E. church tomorrow evening. It is very important that all be there.

G. H. Evelr,
Chairman.

REV. LePAGE'S DONATION BY NEW FLOCK

The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal church at Dunbar at last Sunday evening's service made their pastor, Rev. L. W. LePage, a donation of $75.00. Ever since Rev. LePage returned from the conference to his new charge in October, his family has been afflicted, and of late several members thereof, including his faithful wife, have been seriously ill, but are now convalescent. This condition made it undesirable to hold a public reception for him, and in lieu thereof it was decided as a mark of appreciation to make him a cash donation.

Rev. LePage in his response expressed his deep apreciation in well chosen words. Rev. LePage has many friends in Monessen, having preceded Rev. A. W. Davies as pastor of the local Methodist church.

TURNER CLASS WILL ENTERTAIN

A very enjoyable entertainment will be given tomorrow night in Turner hall when the Third annual exhibition of the local Turner class will be held. The program follows:

Program Part One

Overture.....Colonial Orchestra
Free Exercises.....
.....Boys and Girls Classes
Free Exercises.....Second Boys Class
Exercises on Back...First Boys Class
Flag Exercises.....Second Girls class

Part Number Two

Selection.....Colonial Orchestra
Wand Exercises.....Active Class
Exercises on Parallell Bar.....
.....Second Boys Class
Dumbell Exercises..Second Boys Class
Free Exercises on Boys Sandall Bar..
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No more flattering compliment could be passed upon Col. E. E. Robbins who is a candidate for congress in the Westmoreland-Butler district than was contained in this week's Pennsylvania Argus in the following words: "The friends of Col. E E. Robbins have besought that gentleman to announce himself a candidate for the congressional nomination in this district and this he has done.

Col. Robbins is one of the few Republicans in either this or Butler county who has the intellectual ability to properly represent this important district in the halls of congress. Col. Robbins, it must be conceded, made a fine record in congress in the session of 1897-8."

The Argus is a hide bound Democrat paper and is loyal to the candidate of its own political faith, but it is not too clanish to recognize the superior qualifications of Mr. Robbins for a seat in congress. It is generally known that there is not a more untiring worker in the practice of law in the district than Mr. Robbins. His is a scholarly gentleman in the making of law as well is in its interpretation and his broad experience and ripe knowledge together eminently fit him for the position to which he aspires. Senator Robbins is well and favorably known in every section of the Twenty second district and people generally regard him as the logical candidate at this time and it is only reasonable to expect that his nomination will be unopposed. This being the case there is not the slightest doubt about his election in the fall.

Tomorrow, February second will be "Groundhog Day," and as a great many of our readers do not know the meaning of the term we will try to tell them by reproducing an explanation found in "Our Dumb Animals" for February, published in Boston, Mass:

"According to an old folk-love story, if a person wishes to know whether there will be a late or early spring, the groundhog or woodchuck is the one to be consulted.

Early in the autumn the woodchuck goes to sleep in his winter quarters. He curls himself up in a little ball, with his nose under his paws so that he can keep his toes warm by breathing on them. Here he sleeps snugly all winter, and then, so the story goes he wakes up suddenly on February second, stretches himself, rubs his eyes, and at last creeps out of his cozy nest to see what it looks like outdoors. If he finds it cold and wet, the earth covered with snow, and heavy gray clouds hanging low in the sky, he begins to look around, for he feels certain that soon the ground will be warm and the little buds will be coming out, for Spring is surely on her way. But if the sun is shining brightly and the first thing he sees as he leaves his burrow is his own shadow, he pops back into it again as fast as he can, once more tucks his nose under his paws, and settles down for another six weeks' nap, for a cold late season is the only result that can be expected from seeing his own little shadow cast by the bright sunlight. It must be confessed that he doesn't always get in just right, but he probably doesn't mind it if he does oversleep some fine spring days."

But, even at that, 60 cent butter often tastes like 30 cents.

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Found—fountain pen, owner can have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for this ad. 1-tf

LOST—pocket book containing small amount of money and two keys. Finder please leave at Independent and be rewarded. 200-tf.

WANTED—Boy to work in barber shop. Apply at Conroy's near 5th and Schoonmaker. 2-3t.

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FOR-RENT—Two furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping, apply 416 Donner avenue. 90 tf.

WANTED - Middle-aged lady for general house work. Inquire this office. 99-tf

LOST—A hand-painted belt pin, (roses), somewhere between Sixth street hill and Donner avenue. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at Independent office. 99-2t.

WANTED—An experienced waitress at the New York restaurant, 464 Donner avenue Apply at once. 200 tf

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INTERESTING LOCALS

J. A. Sheetz is calling in Donora on business this afternoon.

Miss Rose Levendorf is spending a visit with friends in McKeesport today.

George Nash has returned from Detroit, Mich. where he has been for the last few weeks.

Mrs. J. T. Rankin of Pittsburgh is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Frazier on McKee avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shepler spent last evening with Mrs. Shepler's mother who is very ill at her home in McKeesport.

F. L. Luce of the late Miller and Luce Transfer Co. left this morning for Meadville where he will rejoin his family on their farm.

Miss Mercedes McGinty leaves today to spend a week or ten days in Pittsburgh renewing old acquaintances and visiting relatives.

The mine disaster at Marianna was an awful catastrophe. See some of the scenes and an interesting picture in "The Blind Miner" at the Bijou Saturday. 3-1t

Rev. Aiken, pastor of the U. P. church at Canonsburg was in Monessen today, a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Jamieson, of the local church, on Reed avenue.

The Winter Club will hold their first Mid-winter dance this evening in Might's auditorium in Charleroi. A goodly number of local people contemplate going. Wheeler will furnish the music.

Rev. J. M. Jamieson of the Monessen U. P. church went to Washington today to visit Attorney C. C. Reed, who is critically ill. Mr. Reed has many friends here, having had his law office, for a time, in the Savings and Trust building.

Mrs. Robert Wright of Knox avenue is slowly recovering from the effects of a fall Friday. She slipped on the icy pavement while walking on Sixth street, one shoulder being dislocated and her arm badly injured otherwise.

Among the awards made yesterday at the Monongahela poultry show we find the following granted to George Sherwin, chief clerk at the Pittsburgh Steel Co's. plant: Single comb white leghorns, fourth. Also, 1st and 3d hen, 1st pullet, and 1st and 2nd cockerel.

The Hebrew Ladies' Aid society will entertain with a Masquerade Ball in the Turner Hall on Tuesday evening, March 5. The affair promises to be a brilliant social event in the Jewish circles and a large out of town attendance is looked for.

"The Blind Miner" at the Bijou on Saturday. Scenes taken from Marianna where the big mine disaster occurred not long ago. 3-1t.

Tomorrow night at the Arcade Bowling Alleys, the Luna and Arcade teams will clash in the second of their series of games. The first one on last Friday was copped by the Luna team but the Arcades are confident of coming back strong and making a third set necessary The games will begin at 8:15 and admission is free.

David Woods, a negro, is in jail at Washington, for felonious shooting. It seems that Steve Salonski, of Bentleyville, attended a dance Tuesday night, and in returning home at a late hour, slipped and fell at a point near the negro's home. Woods, it is claimed, fired two shots from his revolver, point blank through the weather-boarding of the building. One ball struck Salonski in the right shoulder, and he is now in the St. Francis hospital, Pittsburgh.

WESTERN MARYLAND THRO' MONESSEN

The Western Maryland railroad, which will pass through Monessen by the tracks of the New York Central or Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, is rushing work on the construction of its lines, and the new Connellsville-Cumberland extension will soon be ready for opening. This new road will connect with the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie at a point near Fayette City and passing through Monessen will give to this section an outlet to eastern coast points heretofore not enjoyed. This connection will likely not be made before Spring. Work on the Western Maryland spurs leading into Connellsville and across to Fayette City is being rapidly pushed, and other developments in this section will, it is said, soon follow. The Western Maryland will soon let a contract for a $250,000 station in Cumberland, Md., and plans are completed for a $7,000,000 station in Baltimore.

Cost of Living.

The award of six cents to a Brooklyn woman, kissed without her consent, shows that in some respects the cost of living in that borough is not unreasonably high.—New York World.

U. S. GOVERNMENT APPROVES BUICK

On last Monday a model 38 Buick motor car was delivered to Col. Spencer Crosby of the department of war at Washington to be used by the inspector of buildings and grounds on his daily trips.

The government invited all the leading manufacturers of cars priced from $900 to $2,000 to submit a car in competition to a committee of expert mechanical men. These cars were driven to the designated place and the driver dismissed. The examination was then made with no representative of any of the cars present. Motor for motor, shaft for shaft bolt for bolt the cars were compared, tested and appraised by the government experts. One by one the cars were eliminated until but one remained. It was the Buick. Of the 17 or 18 cars submitted the Buick alone stood the rigid test of quality and construction upon which the examination was based. This car was at once turned over to the government for immediate service 2001 5t

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. S. M. Martsof is spending a week with relatives in Jeanette.

Miss Clara Michell is visiting friends in Donora today.

Mrs. W. L. Forster was a Pittsburgh visitor yesterday.

Ben Zimmers was in Cokeburg on a business trip yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Woodward are Pittsburgh visitors today.

William Welter is a business visitor in Monongahela this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Connell of Charleroi were passengers on the early morning train for McKeesport where they expect to spend several days with friends.

C. M. Lamb of Adrian, Mich. is in town for a few days on business.

A little of Conkey Roup cure in the drinking water will prevent your chicken catching cold. 25c and 50c. See Kirk's window.

Fred Lindh and Charlie Freeman are business visitors in the city this morning.

"Cinderella," the $25,000 Selig production at the Luna next Tuesday promises to eclipse anything of the kind ever shown here before. 1-2t.

Merle Wagoner is expected home from Mercersburg Academy Saturday because of illness.

See Heilman and Chalfants prize winning Barred Rocks in Kirk's window.

C. W. Greer, Pete Amann and A. N. Shuster are Pittsburgh business callers today.

Leap year post cards—right to the point at Beck's—6th and Donner. 200 5

Miss Nettie Eckert of Jeannette is spending a couple of weeks here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Homann.

You can afford to Kodak now—see Beck's window 6th and Donner. 200 5t

Frank Golle has removed his family to Scottdale where he intends entering the tinning business for himself.

For Bridges, Crowns, Plates, "let George do it"—*Dr. Barben*, Dentist.

John Lerman has left for Wellsville, O., where he will spend a week or ten days with relatives and friends.

Your "smoke" kept in condition to please you at Beck's, 6th and Donner. 200 5t.

C. E. Truxal of the Belle Vernon Enterprise was a business visitor in town yesterday afternoon and this morning.

Chest protectors and chamois vests—see Beck's windows—6th and Donner. 200-5t

M. H. Cheesebrough of Monessen has an attractive display of Buff Plymouth Rocks at the Monongahela poultry show this week.

There are 99 scenes and 3,000 feet of pictures in "Cinderella" the Selig photo play featuring Miss Mabel Taliaferro, which will be at the Luna on next Tuesday afternoon and evening. 1-2t

Carlton Ketchum has accepted a position as student solicitor for the Pittsburgh University and will begin on his new work tomorrow.

Conkey's Laying Tonic will start your hen to laying. See Kirk's window.

Edward Strausser, of Charleroi, through his counsel D. M. McCloskey, has started an action against S. E. Long, of Washington, district manager of the Prudential insurance company, to recover $5,000 for alleged defamation of character.

Fresh eggs 50c a dozen. Conkey's Laying Tonic will make your hens lay. See Kirk's window.

Melvin Eaglen of Donner avenue, was placed under arrest yesterday in a local bar room on a charge of disorderly conduct, and confined in the borough building until this morning when he was given a hearing before Burgess Reamer. The fine imposed was $10.00 and costs.

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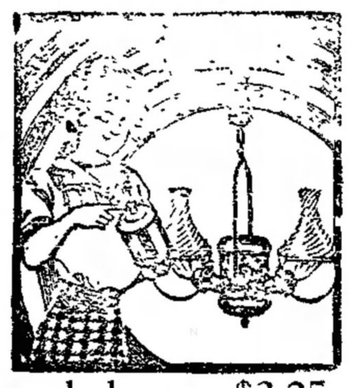

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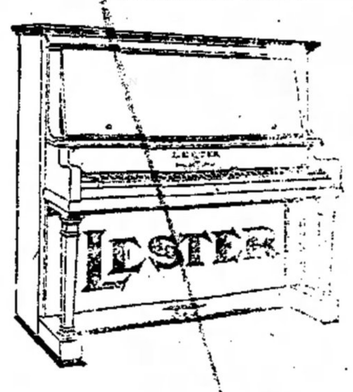

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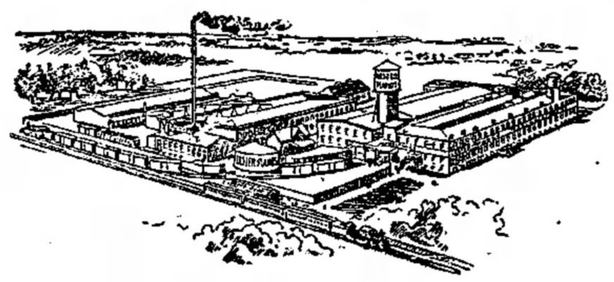

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